

The Raleigh Daily News.

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STATE DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR
AUGUSTUS S. MERRIMON,
Of Wake.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
JOHN H. HUGHES,
Of Chatham.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE
JOHN A. WOMACK,
Of Chatham.

FOR AUDITOR
COLLETT LEVENTHORPE,
Of Caldwell.

FOR TREASURER
JOHN W. GRAHAM,
Of Orange.

FOR SUP'T PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
NEREUS MENDENHALL,
Of Guilford.

FOR SUP'T OF PUBLIC WORKS
JOSEPH H. SEPARK,
Of Wake.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL
WILLIAM M. SHIPP,
Of Mecklenburg.

CANVASS OF GOVERNOR VANCE IN THE EAST.

Hon. Z. B. Vance having been invited to speak in various counties of the East, finding himself pressed for time before the assembling of the Baltimore Convention to which he is a Delegate, has arranged the following brief canvass for a few counties of the East. Friends are requested to have conveyances ready to take the Governor rapidly from point to point:

Wilson, Wilson county, Saturday, June 29th.

Snow Hill, Greene county, Monday, July 1st.

Kinston, Lenoir county, Tuesday, July 2nd.

Trenton, Jones county, Wednesday, July 3rd.

Richland, Onslow county, Thursday, July 4th.

Kenansville, Duplin county, Friday, July 5th.

Whitesville, Columbus county, Saturday, July 6th.

Time cheerfully divided with any Republican speaker.

APPOINTMENTS OF THE HON. SION H. ROGERS.

CHATHAM.

Silk Hope, Saturday June 29th.

ORANGE.

Chapel Hill, Monday July 1st.

Hillsboro, Tuesday July 2nd.

Other appointments will be made hereafter, due notice of which will be given.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Hon. A. S. Merrimon, Democratic-Conservative candidate for Governor, and Judge W. M. Shipp, candidate for Attorney General, will address the people of

Our candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, Major John Hughes, and our candidate for State Treasurer, Major J. W. Graham, will address the people at the following points at the times mentioned:

Winston, Forsythe county, June 29th.

Mocksville, Davie county, July 2d.

Mechanicville, Iredell county, July 4th.

Morganton, Burke county, July 6th.

FOR CONGRESS.

First District—D. M. Carter, of Beaufort.

Second District—W. H. Kitchen, of Halifax.

Third District—A. M. Waddell, of New Hanover.

Fourth District—Sion H. Rogers, of Wake.

Fifth District—J. M. Leach, of Davidson.

Sixth District—Thomas S. Ashe, of Anson.

Seventh District—W. M. Robbins, of Rowan.

Eighth District—R. B. Vance, of Buncombe.

ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.

First District—Octavius Coke, of Chowan.

Second District—Swift Galloway, of Greene.

Third District—T. C. Fuller, of Cumberland.

Fourth District—H. A. London, Jr., of Chatham.

Sixth District—W. L. Steele, of Richmond.

Seventh District—F. B. McDowell, of Iredell.

Eighth District—Thomas D. Johnston, of Buncombe.

DR. MARTIN, OF CARTERET.

We inserted a few days since in our columns, a communication signed "X," reflecting on Dr. L. W. Martin's fealty to our party, and giving it as a rumor that orders had been issued from Republican Headquarters, that no Radical should be nominated in Carteret County for the House of Representatives, but the field was to be left open for Dr. Martin.

We made some editorial comments on the communication, expressing the hope that Dr. Martin would not lend his influence either directly or indirectly, to the Radical cause.

The *Sentinel* also made some comments on the same communication.

Dr. Martin has written us an article in explanation of his position—which leaves him no longer in an equivocal attitude, but places him where he has ever been, under the Conservative Democratic banner.

We hardly think it necessary to give Dr. Martin's defence of his course in the Legislature. He says: "I often voted with my party in opposition to my own views as to the expediency of certain measures, and in all cases where party lines were strictly drawn. I should like to be cited to a single instance where I failed to vote with my party. My constituents endorsed me time and again after each session of the Legislature, and notwithstanding what has been said by others, they still have undiminished confidence in me as a member of the Conservative party."

In our comments, we stated that the people of Carteret had endorsed the course of Dr. Martin, and had recommended his name to the Greensboro Convention for the office of Secretary of State.

After vindicating himself from insinuations against his allegiance to the party, Dr. Martin adds:

"In conclusion, I wish to say once for all that I am as devoted to the cause in which the last years of my life have been spent as ever, and I hope this publication will satisfy my old comrades in the cause all over the State, and get my name detached from the unenviable notoriety which has been given it.

Let us march forward in the grand work before us, and whatever storms may arise let us buffet them manfully and bring the good ship of State into the haven of safety on the 1st Thursday in August."

We will not apologize to our readers for devoting so much editorial space to Dr. Martin's position, but having admitted in our columns a communication containing a rumor which has turned out to be without foundation in fact, he is entitled to a fair hearing at our hands.

It affords us pleasure, because it is our duty, to set him right before the public, and we are glad to know that he will be found as heretofore, battling under Democratic colors, and standing by the usages and organization of our party.

He is a gentleman of influence and popularity in Carteret, and he will do all in his power for the success of our ticket, in the ensuing election.

ROGERS AT PITTSBORO.

We conversed yesterday with an intelligent gentleman who was present at Pittsboro Wednesday and heard the speech of Hon. Sion H. Rogers, delivered in the Court House in that place.

Col. Rogers spoke for over two hours to a very large and attentive audience. His speech made a fine impression.

Our friends in Chatham are in the best spirits and are sanguine of carrying the county by a very handsome majority. Maj. Smith made no impression in Chatham.

Our informant heard of several Republicans who had renounced Radicalism and will henceforth support our ticket. He mentioned the name of John Bland, Esq., who has been a Republican since the close of the war, but who is now convinced of the error of his way, and has come out from among the political enemies of his county. Mr. Bland is a gentleman of influence in Chatham, and his example will no doubt be followed by many of his neighbors.

CALDWELL AND THE MILITIA.

The *Era* has called upon the Editors of the *Daily News* and *Wilmington Journal*, both of whom it says are lawyers, to point out the law authorizing Governor Caldwell to call out and pay the militia, to put down the Robeson outlaws.

We have time and again charged Gov. Caldwell with dereliction of duty towards the people of Robeson.

We have carefully examined the law, and have prepared an editorial, which is crowded out to-day to make room for the document of the Executive Committee, in which we shall prove to every reasonable man who may read it, that Governor Caldwell is either most grossly ignorant of the laws of the State or has been guilty of the grossest neglect of duty.

The Governor can take either horn of the dilemma.

We shall point out the law, and shall show the people the man who endeavors to screen himself from censure by thrusting the Democratic Legislature between himself and popular indignation.

THE LAST OF THE SERIES.

We publish to-day the last of the series of articles prepared by the Executive Committee. We do not think our space can be better employed than in giving publicity to these admirable campaign documents.

NOT AFFIDAVITS.

We are informed by Neill McKay, Esq., the Radical nominee for Congress from the Third District, that our informant was in error in regard to Colonel Waddell's producing the affidavits of four citizens of Sampson in regard to the expression of "no kitchen, no parlor." Mr. McKay says Col. Waddell read the certificates, not the affidavits of the four gentlemen mentioned, to wit, Messrs. Murphy, Ashford, Lee and Moore.

Well, we presume these gentlemen's words are as good as their bonds, and they doubtless are willing to make oath to any certificate they may give to be used in public.

Messrs. Murphy, Ashford, Lee and Moore are represented as being gentlemen of the very highest character for integrity and truth. They assert in their certificate that McKay said in his speech of acceptance of the Radical nomination, that if his Republican friends would rally one more time and carry the election, hereafter "there would be no kitchen and no parlor."

THE SPEAKING AT METROPOLITAN HALL.

It will be seen from our local columns, that the ratification meeting in Metropolitan Hall Wednesday night, was addressed by James H. Harris and Hon. John Pool.

A large crowd assembled, chiefly to hear Pool; but Harris was put forward to make the opening speech, every body expecting of course it would be of only a few moments duration, out of courtesy to Pool, the lion of the occasion.

Harris "went back" on Pool, however. He delivered a speech two hours long, and when Pool was introduced, he stated that "owing to the lateness of the hour" he begged to be excused from making a lengthy speech. Harris having exhausted the patience of all, Pool was too shrewd to detain longer than a few minutes the wearied audience.

Pool was evidently disgusted and the crowd much disappointed. They wanted to hear Pool, Harris they can hear any time.

FACTS AND FIGURES FOR THE PEOPLE.

Published by authority of the Conservative Executive Committee.

STATE BONDS.

To show still further the difference between the Conservatives and the Republicans, let us examine into their conduct with reference to taxes and bonds. Notwithstanding the condition of the people was such that no friend to the people would have added an additional burden to the heavy load circumstances had already imposed upon them, yet the Republican leaders were equally regardless of the interests of the people and of the good fame of the State. The future prosperity of the State demanded light taxes in order that each citizen might use his surplus dollar in ameliorating his condition.

The impoverishment of the people was evident in the ruined houses and farms that needed repairs, standing like sentinels throughout the length and breadth of the State to warn the Legislature that economy was necessary in every department of the government. Never was there a time when a frugal, even a stingy government, was much demanded as in 1869 and 1870. The taxpayers had been well nigh drained of their last dollar—the children of the State were denied the privileges of education because of the poverty of the people; and many families were in a state of almost utter destitution.

Notwithstanding all these things were apparent to the Republican leaders, they sold themselves out to Littlefield, Dewese and others, and passed laws making large appropriations of bonds in accordance with the behests of these accountants who had the bill of sale for the Radical Legislature in their pocket.

Colonel Heck swears before the fraud commission "that he had heard Dewese, Littlefield and others make remarks that they held control of the action of the Legislature for money or a valuable consideration."

Swenson, McAden, Gen. Lewis and others swear in substance that it was generally understood and known that no railroad bill could pass without paying ten per cent. of the bonds appropriated in it to Littlefield, Dewese & Co. And Swenson swears that he paid to the members of the Legislature and others \$241,000 for Littlefield. He likewise paid Littlefield \$370,000 bonds. He also collected for Littlefield \$11,000 in cash from President Tate, and \$10,000 from Gen. Stubbs for "procuring acts for their railroads." Dr. Hawkins likewise paid him \$10,000 in bonds for an act for the Chatham Railroad. McAden, as attorney for the Atlantic, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad, promised to pay him ten per cent. of the State's appropriation to that road but having failed to do it, Dewese and Kehoe brought the Kehoe black-mailing suit against the railroad company, and the suit was compromised by paying \$163,000 in bonds to Dewese. Of these bonds Judge Watts before whom the suit was brought had five (\$5,000) delivered to him by Tim Lee, the radical sheriff of Wake county. Tim keeping the other ten for himself. Indeed it is very well that there was hardly a Radical in that infamous Legislature who was not bought for money or something else. By their contract they had become the bought slaves of Littlefield and Dewese. Little did they care for what the people demanded. They ate and drank at Littlefield's free bars; they received money from his paymaster, George W. Swenson; they enjoyed his oyster suppers, his wines, his horses, his cigars, and they passed the bills he told them without a moment's hesitation, and without caring how such legislation would affect the taxpaying people.

As far as it has been ascertained from sworn evidence, Littlefield, Dewese & Co., received \$633,000 in bonds and \$252,000 in cash for procuring the passage of acts by the Republican Legislature. A great part of this cash, however, was paid over to Joseph C. Abbott, Jos. W. Holden, R. I. Wynne,

LEWIS, HARRIS, SINGH, FRENCH, TAPPAN, and other members of the Legislature.

We give a statement of the appropriations made by the Republican Legislature during the spring of 1870. Let it be borne in mind that most of the Conservatives in that Legislature not only voted against these appropriations but denounced the whole scheme as a swindle, because it was evident that the people of North Carolina could never pay any of these new bonds.

BONDS AUTHORIZED TO BE ISSUED—AMOUNT—ANNUAL TAX LEVIED TO PAY INTEREST.

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| Eastern & Western R. R., | 2,000,000 | 5 | " |
| Western N. C. R. R., | 6,666,000 | 12 1/2 | " |
| University R. Road, Suffolk, | 300,000 | 1 | " |
| Marion & Asheville Turnpike, W. C. & R. R. R., | 850,000 | 2 1/2 | " |
| | 30,000 | 1 | " |
| | 4,000,000 | 12 1/2 | " |

Total bonds authorized, 24,046,000

Tax, 59 cts.

They likewise levied a tax for "ordinary purposes" of 35 cts, making a total tax for 1869 of 94 cts.

The tax of 59 cts, directed by the Republican Legislature to be annually levied, was entirely to pay interest on their new bonds. It is true all of these bonds were not issued, and that all of the tax was not collected; but the people owe the Republican party no thanks for that. Littlefield and Dewese bribed the Legislature to make the appropriations and to levy the tax—and it was done. See the public acts of 1868-'69. That some of the acts were unconstitutional only shows that these Republican members would rather break their oaths than break with Littlefield.

The conservatives of the last Legislature having the interest of the people at heart, did not authorize a single bond to be issued. They levied taxes for the present year as follows:

For ordinary expenses of government, 16 2-3 cts.

For Asylum and Penitentiary, 15 "

For Common Schools, 16 2-3 "

Total tax for 1870, \$38 1-3 cts.

What a contrast is here presented!—The Republicans were utterly regardless of popular rights and popular interests. The Conservatives were careful to cut down every expense—to institute economy and reform and to provide for public schools! Who will hereafter vote for any of these rascally fellows who sold themselves to Littlefield—who for a few paltry dollars, for free drinks and cigars, betrayed the sacred trusts committed to their charge? Let every voter decide for himself these questions: Ought Republican leaders who have shamelessly prostituted their high office to base purposes, be again elected to office? Ought such hirelings to receive the support of honest men?

Can honest men affiliate with such scoundrels and not feel a blush of shame on their cheeks? Remember the Radical leaders not only express their love for Holden in a public resolution passed at their Raleigh Convention, but endorse all of his tyranny and oppression—all of his unholy and iniquitous proceedings, and likewise cordially approve of the entire action of the Republican Legislature—swindling, stealing, carousing and all!

We say to the voters of North Carolina, down with all such cattle, and elect only honest men to administer your public concerns. Would you entrust the management of your private affairs to such men? If not, will you employ them to transact your public business where hundreds of thousands of dollars are involved?

The Post Master General has ordered the extension of the railway postal service on the Chicago and Illinois Southern rail road from Marrowbone to Dalton, Ill., a distance of six miles.

The jury in the case of H. O. Hoyt, charged with swindling the Georgia State road, found him guilty with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court.

Mayor Sidney S. Lyon, at one time State Geologist of Kentucky, died recently at his residence in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Generals Harry White and Lemuel Todd, candidates at large for Congress, have both withdrawn from the Hartranft ticket in Pennsylvania.

TO HOLDERS OF CITY BONDS.

Holders of Coupons of Bonds of the city of Raleigh, issued in 1871, are notified to present those payable on the 1st of July, 1872, at the Raleigh National Bank.

M. W. CHURCHILL, City Treasurer.

June 23-11. "Sentinel" and "Era" copy one time.

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JAMES PIRBSON. E. A. PIRBSON, May 2-11.

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From and after June 20th, 1872, until the 30th day of October, 1872, tickets may be obtained from any Ticket Agent on the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, from any station to Morehead City and return, for ONE FIRST CLASS FARE or ONE SECOND CLASS FARE, as follows:

FIRST CLASS. Goldsboro' to Morehead City and return \$5.00. Lagrange to " " 4.25. Kingston to " " 3.75. Newbern to " " 3.00. Newport to " " 2.50.

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Children over five and under twelve years of age, half the above rates. Persons who fail to obtain such tickets, will be charged full fare. Persons getting on the train, between stations where such tickets are sold, will be charged local fare to the first station, but if they fail to purchase a ticket, will be charged full fare both ways.

New Bern, N. C., June 16th, 1872. June 19-11.

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Capt. THOS. BAILEY, State Secretary, June 21-11.

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June 1-11.

NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD COMPANY. SECRETARY'S OFFICE, COMPANY STORE, N. C., May, 16th 1872.

The Twenty-third Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the North Carolina Railroad Company, will be held in Raleigh on the second Thursday, 11th July, 1872. Stockholders will please be represented either in person or by proxy.

C. M. CRUM, Ass't Sec'y. July 6-11.

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Half the above is required in advance. Pupils charged from the date of entry. Hack hire from and to Warren Depot at the expense of the Principal, if timely notice is given. Address: JOHN GRAHAM, Jun 24-windw. Warren, N. C.

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The Thirtieth Session of this Institution will begin on Thursday, July 11th, 1872. This school, one mile

STATE MATTERS.

Our friends throughout the State will place us under obligations if they will furnish us with any items of news that may transpire in their respective sections, as we desire to make this department specially full.

SICKNESS is prevailing in Weldon.

TRAVEL over the roads centreing at Weldon is increasing.

HON. M. W. RANSON and family are now at Kittrell's Springs.

The Mechanics' Hose Company of Wilmington is now ready for service.

The young people of Weldon intend having a picnic some time soon.

PEACHES 50 cents per dozen in Wilmington.

WATERMELONS sell at \$1.25 a piece in the Wilmington market.

A horse died suddenly in harness in Wilmington on Monday.

A child was smothered by its mother on Masonboro Sound on Monday night.

PEOPLE are complaining of too much rain in Catawba county.

DR. W. M. EARNHEAT has taken charge of the Jones House, at Lenoir.

A negro was shot in Flemington on Monday by a young gentleman well known in Wilmington.

A LARGE number of students is expected at Catawba High School next session.

AN intoxicated negro in Weldon, in attempting to jump on the cars, had one of his feet badly mangled.

A white woman was sent to the New Hanover county Work House on Tuesday.

The county convention of the Democrats and Conservatives of New Hanover will be held on the 16th of July.

The local of the Roanoke News has been feasting on roasting ears for the last two weeks.

JOHN ANDERSON, negro, has been committed to Halifax jail for stealing a watch from A. B. Pense.

The steamer Waccamaw was to be carried from Wilmington to Baltimore for repairs.

TWENTY true bills have thus far been found by the grand jury at the present term of New Hanover Superior Court.

A SEVERE hail storm, doing considerable damage visited the county near Salem on Saturday last.

CAPTAIN W. H. KITCHEN, Democratic candidate for Congress from the second congressional district, spoke in Weldon last Saturday.

CAPTAIN V. V. RICHARDSON, of Columbus county, is prominently mentioned as the Conservative nominee for the House of Representatives.

The Democrats of Sampson county have nominated Dr. C. Tate Murphy for the Senate and J. R. Maxwell for the House of Representatives.

The Democrats of Burke county have nominated Pinckney Warlick for the House of Representatives of the next Legislature.

SILAS BERRY, Osborn, Reuben Barger and Jones Hudson, were acquitted at the present term of Burke Superior Court of the killing of Sidney Cook.

A LEADING Radical of Hickory Tavern has stated that \$24,000 have been appropriated by the Republicans to carry the election in that Congressional District.

REV. R. L. ABERNETHY has purchased a column in the Carolina Eagle, in which he will publish his monthly reports and other matters connected with Rutherford College.

The fourth of July will be celebrated by the Wilmington Rifle Guards by a parade and target shooting, and a grand promenade at the City Hall at night.

An old gentleman living in an adjoining county, wishing to purchase a few acres, visited Newbern a few days since for the first time since the year 1813, when he came to summon the militia to the front.

IRON has recently been discovered on the plantation of Samuel Miles, Esq., near Gaston Halifax county. The ore contains 74 per cent. of iron, and preparations are being made to commence work on it at an early day.

JOHN KITTRELL, indicted in New Hanover county for the murder of Rose, a short time since, at the present term of the court, pleaded guilty of manslaughter. He was to have had a further hearing yesterday.

THE Democrats and Conservatives of Halifax will hold a Convention at Halifax on Saturday, the 6th of July, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the State Senate in place of Captain W. H. Kitchen, nominated for Congress.

ADOLPHUS STEWART, of Catawba county, has received, says the Carolina Eagle, a letter from Senator John Pool, telling him if he was not taking a Republican paper, he would have one sent gratis, to him or any body else who wanted one.

Some of the Republicans have bolted from the nomination of James H. Platt for Congress from the second Virginia District and nominated Dr. D. M. Norton, (colored) of York county.

The wife of Mr. Waite, of the counsel for the United States before the Geneva Board of Arbitration, is ill in Paris.

Mr. Leibert, a resident of New York, has presented Emperor William, of Germany, with several tame stags.

The daughter of Baron D'Itaguba, the Brazilian arbitrator at Geneva, died recently at Frankfurt.

Senator Doolittle, of Wisconsin, is spoken of as President of the Baltimore Convention.

Six fatal sun strokes occurred recently in Cincinnati.

The cigar makers of Richmond, Va., purpose forming a protective union.

EDITORIAL EXCURSION.

(Special to the Daily News.)

GENEVA, ONTARIO CO., N. Y., June 23rd, 1872.

It was our intention on leaving home to have sent you a letter each day concerning the movements of the Southern Editorial Excursion party, but so rapid has been our progress that we have found it utterly impossible to carry out our intentions. Our trip thus far has been a moving panorama, the scenes shifting so rapidly that we are eye-strained upon one, beauty another still more attractive would present itself.

Within one brief week we have traversed the most beautiful section of Pennsylvania, a country abounding in magnificent scenery and rich in its mineral and material stores; have beheld the beautiful city of Elmira, the first point we reached in this State, enjoyed the generous hospitality of its citizens and made many warm friends; have briefly visited the prosperous city of Buffalo, the second in population in the State, a city becoming a power as a manufacturing point and as a grain depot; have effectually "done" Niagara, viewed its wonders, beheld its grandeur, stood beneath its mighty cataracts and listened to the continuous thunder which it sends forth, and have felt our own insignificance in beholding this mighty work of nature; have placed our feet on Canadian soil, breathed the air of the British government, and felt that we were, for the time, not subject to the decrees of the Grant monarchy; have enjoyed the generous hospitality extended our Southern party by the International Hotel at Niagara—the first time a thing of this kind has ever been done at that place; have received a kindly welcome from the citizens of Rochester, been banquited at their boards, shown the large nurseries which surround that place and which have become a tremendous capital fund for that city; have been most warmly entertained at Conandaigua, one of the most beautiful places we have yet seen, whose citizens are both generous and wholehearted; have enjoyed delightful boat rides on the Canandaigua and Keuka Lakes, beheld the magnificent scenery skirting those Lakes and the thousands of acres upon their shores that have been converted into Vineries within the last few years; visited some of the extensive wine cellars to be found there, have drunk enough wine to fully test its powers and to make us healthy for many days to come; and have visited the famous Watkins' Glen, located at the Southern end of the Seneca Lake and forty miles from this place. This is one of the most attractive points we have yet reached and in many respects surpasses Niagara itself in magnificent grandeur—it is largely visited and elegant hotels are just being completed, which will make the place most attractive. We are largely indebted to the citizens of the town of Watkins for their generous entertainment of us.

At 2 o'clock yesterday evening we left Watkins for this place, and had a most delightful ride of forty miles over Lake Seneca, in many respects the most beautiful sheet of water we have ever seen. The lake is forty miles long by between two and three in width, is perfectly clear, and forms a splendid harbor, is from four to six hundred feet deep, with magnificent scenery on every hand, the whole view forming one of those pleasant scenes that the eye would ever delight to dwell upon.

It would be more than useless for us to attempt to describe what we have seen on our tour thus far through western and central New York, or to picture the hospitable manner in which we have been entertained on every hand. We will only say that the citizens everywhere, the corporate authorities and the members of the press, have put forward every endeavor to make us comfortable, and have extended to us a cordial welcome which has fully served to show that we, as Southern men, have abundant friends here. Our receptions have not been confined to any political party, but at every place the leading Republicans have been foremost in the efforts to entertain us.

We will give a brief sketch of the manner in which we have been received at this beautiful and prosperous village, (called a village, although containing some six thousand inhabitants,) and your readers can form some idea of the general reception that has been given us at different points. We were met some distance down the lake by a delegation of citizens, and upon the arrival of the boat at the landing, here a large number of the citizens came on deck, when we were formally received by the President of the town. We were then taken possession of individually by the citizens, conveyed to carriages in waiting, a large concourse of the citizens having assembled on the wharf to give us greeting, and we were driven through the town into the country just back of it for the purpose of being shown the extent of the Nursery business in this locality; and here we beheld a scene rich in beauty and possessing almost boundless wealth to the Nurserymen. Within a few miles of Geneva there are more than 10,000 acres of land that have been converted into seemingly one grand nursery, not a foot of ground being left undeveloped, and the value of this land can be better understood when we say that its estimated worth, when in proper cultivation, is from two to four thousand dollars per acre. It is only within the last dozen years this business has become an item here, and the owners, now millionaires, have made their fortune right here. After riding through some dozen nurseries, we halted at the magnificent residence of Mr. Geo. W. Nicholas, just outside of the town, and after viewing his grounds, partook of some elegant refreshments served us by the ladies of his family. Again embarking in our carriages, we drove to the Franklin Hotel, overlooking and immediately upon the Seneca, where we are most comfortably quartered as the guests of the town.

At nine o'clock last evening a most elegant and sumptuous banquet was served in the dining room of the hotel, around which some hundred of the citizens gathered with us, and for two hours we were indulged in. The addresses from the citizens of the place were expressive of the kindest feelings and the warmest sympathy towards the Southern people, and the tone of the remarks of the gentlemen of our party, here as elsewhere, are to the end to show to the people of the North that the Southern people have been most miserably misrepresented as to their feelings and intentions, and we are glad to know that our presence and words are carrying

conviction to the minds of these people, many of whom have hitherto believed that the South still refused to "accept the situation."

The utmost good feeling has prevailed between us and those with whom we have met throughout our trip, and we augur good results from the noble exertions that are being made by Major N. H. Hotchkiss, who last year successfully conducted the Northern excursion into the South and who is now so successfully conducting the present invasion of Southerners into the North—the people of the two sections have but to understand each other better to hate each other less, and when the mist shall have been dispersed from before the eyes of the people of the two sections they will find that their interests are common, and that there is no need of the existence of the bitter feeling which has been held on both sides for many years prior even to the late war—while the memories of the past are sacred to us, and should be ever cherished, yet we must act in the living present and hope for a brighter future. We find the masses here are willing to shake hands over this sentiment, and we believe a common ground can be formed upon which the whole people of America can unite and move to a common prosperity.

We have to-day been attend Church, visiting the citizens at their houses, and having a most pleasant and quiet time. To-morrow morning we start for Watertown, stopping to dine at Syracuse. At Watertown we become the guest of the New York Press Association, and will remain with them three days, taking an excursion to the Thousand Islands and probably Montreal in the meantime.

We shall endeavor hereafter to write you daily and thus prevent long letters.

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Only a baby's grave!
Some foot or two at the most,
Of star-dusted sod, yet I think that God
Knows what that little grave cost.

Only a baby's grave!
To children, even, so small
That they sit there and sing. So small a
thing seems scarcely a grave at all.

Only a baby's grave!
Strange how we moan and fret
For a little face that was here such a space,
There more strange could we forget.

Only a baby's grave!
Did we measure grief by this,
Few tears were shed for our baby dead—
I know how they fell on this.

Only a baby's grave!
'Till the little life be much
Too small a gem for His diadem,
Whose kingdom is made of such?

Only a baby's grave!
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